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A delightful affair in aid of the funds of Strathmore Red Cross, was given in the residence and grounds of Mrs. R. S. Strickland on Wednesday afternoon. Refreshments, cake, candy, ice-cream, etc., were served by the ladies of the Red Cross, who also retold the future by means of cards and palms. The seers being Mrs. Patrick and Mrs. Brand. Musical selections were given by Miss Bell and Mrs. Thornberry. The public attended in large numbers, and \$86 was realized for a most deserving cause.

Baseball Dance

To the many who trip the light fantastic the announcement that Strathmore Baseball Club are holding a big dance on Wednesday, September 17th, will be of great interest. The dance will be held in the Opera House, and Mr. Truett's Calvary Orchestra will provide the music. Supper will be served.

The object of the dance is to liquidate the deficit of \$61 on the club's books. The club has provided good sport all season, and would have come out even but for the weather interfering with the Drummer game last month. The expenses for the season have been \$1733, but the club has financed these from receipts and prize money the amount collected in special subscriptions being only \$200.

September 17th is the date. Don't miss it.

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Wet Weather

Since our last issue there has been a considerable amount of precipitation, and this has delayed the progress of harvesting. In some localities there was a light touch of frost on Wednesday morning, but there has been none over the full moon. No damage is reported.

All wheat is now cut, but there is still a considerable quantity of late oats and flax still to cut. These late crops are going to give very good returns. Very little threshing has been done yet, but a light fall of Mr. Launay's, which he expected would only make six bushels has averaged ten.

All About a Calf

A case of considerable interest, judging by the large attendance in Court, was heard at a sitting of the District Court of the Calgary District held here on Monday, His Honor Judge Winters presiding.

It was all over a "certain red steer or bull calf," which William Gorman, a Strathmore of Nightingale, averred had been unlawfully and without his leave, been branded by Harry Hilton, a former at Nightingale.

Gorman in his Statement of Claim asked for a declaration of the Court that the calf was his property; that Hilton be required to vent the brand; damages in the sum of \$200.

Hilton in his Statement of Defence averred that the calf was his, asking delivery of same, and claiming \$200 damages.

Gorman and his wife gave evidence to the effect that the calf in question was one bought by Gorman from Southwell, of Nightingale in May 1918, and that practically it had never left his place. Asked why it had come to be branded with Hilton's brand, Gorman could give no explanation at all. Southwell believed that the calf was the one he had sold, but was not prepared to swear that it was. The other witnesses were mostly Russians employed on the C. N. R. who testified to a more or less acquaintance with the calf.

Hilton was most emphatic that the calf was his, the offspring of his milch cow, that it was branded in July 1918 by his neighbor Mr. Cort, and that after his cattle were rounded up that fall, he was shy one calf. No more was heard of the calf until May of this year, when Gorman called on Hilton and told him that he had in his possession a calf bearing his (Hilton's) brand. Gorman claimed the calf as his, while Hilton disputed his right to it.

Mr. Cort of Nightingale, swore to branding the calf, and was prepared to say the calf now in Gorman's possession was Hilton's.

The calf was present as a production in the case and was the subject of much interest and attention from the large numbers present at the trial.

After hearing the evidence Judge Winters reserved judgement, stating that he would hear Counsel in Calgary before giving his decision. Counsel: for Plaintiff A. L. Smith K. C., and A. B. Winter; for Defendant, D. M. Strickland and T. M. Wears.

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Local Notings

Strathmore School re-opened last Tuesday with an initial attendance of 135, which is likely to be considerably increased.

Mrs. Weatherbee, Bowden, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. McIlhenny, for the past two weeks.

Bill Tierney has now got his tailoring establishment going full blast in his new building on Second Street.

The Women's Institute will meet at 3 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 17, at the home of Mrs. E. E. Thompson, Roll Call. Quotations. Subject: Co-operation between Home and School. All ladies invited to be present.

Strathmore is going to indulge in the luxury of another Chinese laundry.

The great "well" case, which we reported in our columns some time ago, is likely to be heard in a Calgary court soon, being appealed from the local Justice decision. In the meantime, however, the "Lucky Kid" is drilling a well for himself.

The potato is once again to the fore. Oscar Miller, of Durce farm, reports having lifted a row in his potatoes, the small set of which was one and one-eighth inches in diameter, and twenty-six of which were good-sized tubers. W. H. Elford also reports a potato on his farm three pounds eleven ounces in weight, which fed his family and two other families for Sunday dinner. Next, please.

Dr. Girvin, at the Alberta Medical Men's Convention last week, is reported to have said that "the whole thing had become nauseating, and he was sick to death of the traffic in prescriptions." But, surely, Doc, there is no one in a strictly moral town like Strathmore who would ask for a prescription unless they really and truly needed it.

A car of Our Best Flour, Shorts, and Bran, received at Brand's this week. 10-9-19

In the heavy electrical storm on Thursday evening, lightning struck the brick chimney of the bunkhouse at Roy Miner's farm near Chetiville, doing considerable damage to the interior. Fortunately all hands were at dinner at the time, and the bunkhouse was unoccupied. A calf was also killed by lightning near the same spot.

Disbury is another town in the position of having a mill rate of taxation the same as Strathmore, two mills on the dollar. However, it is not as bad as it looks here, as the highest valuation of any lot in Strathmore is \$600, and from that down to \$100.

Chas. Bebbington is back in town, after having spent several months in B. C.

T. H. Fieger, recently arrived from New Brunswick, has taken a position with M. B. Garrett.

Allen Kirkwood, one of our old subscribers, from Yakima, Washington, is on a visit to his land near Nightingale, farmed by Wm. Otto.

Pte. E. Gardner, who returned from overseas recently, having served with the Forestry Corps, is now engaged in the light delivery business in town, and has an application in for the position of town constable.

Mrs. Harwood, we understand, is building a new dwelling house on her lots on Fifth Street.

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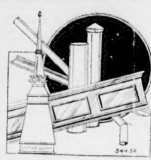
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Some districts are as yet unrepresented. We want to hear from them. We want everyone U.F.A. especially to operate in sending regularly notes of the news and personal items of each district to this page. By it you will know what other districts are doing, and others will know what you are doing, and consequently the interests of everyone will be advanced, and co-operation furthered. Look upon the Standard as your own paper. That is what we want it to be—a mirror of the news and opinion of the Western Bow Valley.

Contributors should endeavor to have their copy in by Sunday afternoon, or at latest Monday afternoon, as our forms close Tuesday. Paper and envelopes will be supplied on application.

John MacKenzie, Editor

Rockford

A new Elevator, an Electric Light Plant, and another skyscraper on Main street, all inside of a week. Not a bad achievement for one week. With another Chinese laundry on two on Main street, Rockford will begin to look like a regular town.

S. Levitt has moved his skyscraper up on a Main Street lot, next to Johnson's Pool Room. John says he can't see nothing with the Woodworth blocking the view.

Labor Day marked the opening of the duck shooting season, and the town presented a deserted look all day. Judging from the size of the bags that were reported to the members of the feathered tribe were caught in—A party consisting of Tom and Bert Liotte, Stuart Johnson, and Dead Eye McDonald left ahead of time. Johnson said the webfooted fellows were awful gun shy, and it required a Lewis machine gun to bring them down. When Jim Hurst heard this he wanted to know if Carl thought he had to get near enough to whisper in their ears before he got a bead on them.

Geo. Meyers, Sam Short, and Dusty Rhodes, all using No. 12 Nitro Clubs, brought down seven mallards, five better balls, six bill divers, and last but not least, a chicken hawk. Rhodes says Short gets the honor of getting the divers and the hawk.

Bringham and Enright spent a few hours on Andy Strang's place Tuesday. The ducks must have heard of the abilities of these Nimrods, for they kept their distance all day. Anyway Buck and Pinkie each had a duck for supper and Buck sported a sore thumb, the gun going off on its own accord, so the story goes.

The many friends of Miss Ted Connerby and Geo. McCrea will be pleased to know that they were named on Tuesday last in Calgary. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilcox, of Calgary, served as attendants in a quiet wedding, after which the bride and groom journeyed to Banff to spend their honeymoon. Mr. and Mrs. McCrea will be at home shortly in Rockford, where he represents the Home Grain Company.

A very pleasant event in the form of a Duck Supper, as an aftermath of September 1st, was given by Dusty Rhodes at "The Hoppedale" on Tuesday evening in honor of Bert Lewis' return from his holidays.

"Ducks" was the main event of the evening, both from the host and topic standpoint. The supper consisted of seven courses, six of which were ducks, done up in various forms. The seventh course

Elwood Notes

C. P. Ballard was up from the Bow Valley.

We have been informed that the National Elevator Co. are moving one of their elevators up from the south country and will rebuild at St. Hubert. This will be a great boon to this district, as the elevators and roundabouts have always been a drawback in hauling to Nanka. A new and improved elevator with ginches, a loaded car, and then a baseball team.

R. Anderson, Strathmore's townsmen article, has a few more fields of flax on spring breaking that sure looks good from the road. At the present price of flax it will go a long way towards paying expenses of frost stays off. Better pay for good weather, Bob.

Nemaka C.P.U.A. met at the home of Mrs. Harvey Hanson on Saturday. There was a fair turnout, several clergymen and members of the U.F.A. being present.

Wm. Picketton, who has been helping his brother through harvest, returned to the Home Sunday.

T. A. Thorpe, H. T. and W. G. Calgary, sent to Strathmore to play tennis with a C.P.U.A. team on Sunday.

Bobby Peterson is expected down to run Picketton's threshing this season.

Wedding

GIVEN MELLIES

One of the pretty weddings of the season took place at high noon, on Thursday, September 14th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKelvie, when their daughter, Hesteria Ruth, was married to Charles Howard Giffen, by the Rev. Thomas Phelps.

The beautiful ring service was read in the sunny window of the living room before a background of ferns and daisies, pink and white carnations and hollyhocks were used in baskets about the room, and in the dining room the table was adorned with a wedding cake, surrounded with pink sweet peas in crystal holders.

Mrs. Eugen Sie played Mendelssohn's wedding march for the entrance of the bride, and a program of vocal airs, following the ceremony was played by Miss Dorothy Woodhall.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father, wore a lovely gown of georgette crepe and white satin beautifully embroidered. She carried a bouquet of Cecil Brunner roses.

The bridesmaid, Miss Jean Louisa of High River, wore a gown of dull georgette crepe and carried pink carnations.

Mr. David Alder was groomsmen.

An informal reception was held after the ceremony and the beautiful array of gifts received in the library.

Delicious wedding breakfast was served. Mr. Giffen and his bride left later for Banff, on their way to an extended visit to the Coast. Using away, the latter wore a navy blue suit, a large velvet hat with a crown of French roses, and in a tulle and mole trim, the gift of the groom. They will reside in Calgary upon their return, where the groom is engaged as an Agricultural engineer, in reclamation work for the Dominion Government.

The out of town guests included Mrs. Weatherhead of Banff, aunt of the bride, Mr. Will Giffen of Lethbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Ramage, Mrs. Harriott and Miss Dorothy Woodhall of Calgary.

The bride, recently a student of Mount Royal College, has many Calgary friends.

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Patriotism v. Penury

Most people have read Kipling's poem, "Tommy Atkins," in which he told how, when war was on, the soldier was the man of the hour, but in peace he was very much out in the cold. It was written before the Great War, and it was thought that it would not be applicable to the circumstances following on that war, but apparently it is as true as ever, judging from the way the Union Government has treated the requests of the returned men.

The Canadian Government says that the financial condition of the country does not permit of any extension of the present allowance that has been made to the soldier on discharge. The German Government says that it cannot pay the indemnity charged up to it, but it will pay it, being the losing party. Canada has no indemnity to pay, having won, but yet, according to the Government, it cannot pay the men who helped to win the war for an amount sufficient to set them up in civil life again and compensate them for the years they have lost.

The people of Alberta do not think the same as the Government. They have expressed themselves, through the leading public bodies of the Province, in favor of adequate compensation for the returned men. But apparently, Alberta does not carry much weight in the councils of the East.

The position as it stands is this, as far as the private soldier who is discharged from the Army as fit is concerned. If single, and having served three years or over, he gets \$420. If married, he gets \$600. The wife or mother of a soldier killed on active service gets nothing.

When the war commenced in 1914, the rate of pay for the private soldier was \$1.50 per day. When the armistice was signed in November 1918 the rate was still \$1.50. At the same time the rate of pay for every civilian worker advanced.

Of course, the man who enlisted to fight did not consider the financial side of it. He fought to preserve his country. In doing so, he preserved his country's finances. The Canadian dollar to-day is worth 100 per cent of its nominal value in the international market. The German mark is rated at 24 per cent of its nominal value. If we had lost, the positions would have been reversed.

The man who has come back does not want to gouge any

money out of his country. If he had been that kind of a man he would not have enlisted. He does not like to be in the position of asking the Government for more money, and if it were not for organization would probably nurse his wrongs privately. But during the war streams of sentiment were wafted across the ocean about nothing being too good for the soldier, and that Canada was with him to the last dollar and so forth. What's the matter with these sentiments now?

The soldier feels the inequality of his position. He is in the hole financially as compared with the man who stayed at home. The Government, by a policy of direct taxation, could have kept the balance even, but they have not done so, and now the returned man is at the wrong end of the financial scales.

The returned man has been very patient. They have disappointed the people who prophesied trouble when they came back. They have seen hundreds of millions squandered in the Canadian forces throughout the war on useless equipment, rifles, and men. There were more than 100,000 men who enlisted who never went to France. Most of that was due to careless methods of enlistment and examination. One whole division stayed in England a year, and even then did not go to France as a division. The cause of this, and the rifles and equipment scandal is still a mystery, though the soldier has another name for it. But the returned man is sticking to constitutional means. He knows that the people are behind him, and that the government does not abandon its present attitude.



Increase in Rate of Interest

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Act to amend the Dominion Lands Act, passed at the Parliament, and of consequence from the 1st July, 1919, where interest on a chargeable rate of such interest on all new transactions in connection with the Dominion Lands shall be six per centum per annum, subject to the 1st of September, 1919, the rate on all overdue instalments in connection with both past and future transactions will be increased to 7 per centum per annum.

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School Fair Sept. 22nd

The first Annual School Fair for Strathmore and District, will be held on September 22nd. The Fair is conducted under the direction of the Old School of Agriculture, under the auspices of the Alberta Department of Agriculture. The object of the Fair is to encourage the children of the district in the study of agriculture, and prizes are offered in the different classes. The classes comprise: Garden Products, Grains and Grasses, Household Appliances, Household Science, Canning, Live Stock, Miscellaneous, and Competitions between schools.

The prize money is being contributed by the various schools in proportion to the number of rooms in each school, and financial assistance is also given by the Department of Agriculture. Schools taking part are:—

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Carmichael
Chapman
Crawford
Dewar
Fairplay
Hammill Hill
Harwood
Hewitt
Nanaka
Nightingale
Orange Valley
Serviceland
Strathmore

The local committee in charge consists of:—President W. E. Vickers; Secretary Rev. Theo. Phillips; E. S. Stockton, W. G. Way, A. H. Haines, A. J. J. Weyers, John Mackenzie, Mrs. E. Hall, A. G. McKay.

Copies of the prize list may be had from school teachers or from members of the committee. It is probable that some time prior to the Fair representatives of the Department will visit Strathmore and Carneland, these being the most central rail centres, and show the people how to prepare their exhibits.

All schools taking part in the competition will be notified of the date of the visit of the representative of the Department. Judges for the competition will also be supplied by the Department of Agriculture.

Great interest is being taken by the school children in the Fair and what is wanted is encouragement by the older folks to make the Fair a great success.

POINTS ON THE FAIR
1. Exhibits to be made in the basement of the Methodist Church.
2. Live Stock on vacant lot near by.
3. Prizes for exhibits to be paid on day of Fair.
4. No exhibit to be removed before 4:30 p.m.
5. Mrs. Bell has been asked to give an afternoon school to six up to six years of children to exhibit, and give general instructions as to preparing exhibits.

Soldiers' Request Turned Down

The Secretary of Strathmore G. W. V. A. received the following message on Monday evening, from the Secretary of the Provincial Command, Calgary, Sept. 18th, 1919:

Secy. G. W. V. A. Strathmore, Alta.
Following wire received from Ottawa, Ont. Wire principal local officers bearing publicity as follows:—
Protest regarding re-establishment bonus Sunday, Sept. 7th. Please inform writer. Dominion Executive, Ottawa, Ont. The Government is considering the situation of country produced government from maintaining policy for larger or further gratuity of bonus. Commutation advocated in bonus resolution has been refused. Please Minister stating undesirable establish commutation to require facts which are within knowledge of members of government. All members of parliament should be urged by constituents to support appointment of commission to demonstrate actual facts of situation throughout the country. The seriousness of conditions and need for immediate action ensuring happiness and contentment of people is not sufficiently understood. Our laborers are for peace and happiness of country we fought for and to procure for those who sacrificed and suffered that measure of recognition to which they are entitled. In face of great destruction we shall readily pay for our support and the justice of our cause. The select committee of veterans in complete accord and united on the resolution passed by the Dominion Convention. Newspaper reports stating Government have made proposals for six months gratuity should be taken with great reserve as such measure has not been commended to us.

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C. W. McInnis.
Strathmore House has sent a wire to Major Hedman, representing this constituency in Ottawa, urging him to press the Soldiers' claim.

Rockyford

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Mrs. M. R. Kral was a visitor at Calgary on Tuesday.

At Cline is the proud possessor of a new McLaughlin Special, purchased last week.

Walter Hermann and Felix Veltman disposed of their farm to Mr. Hendrick and Co., of Iowa, on Monday. To date we have been unable to ascertain the consideration.

Mr. Roberts and family moved to Ardmore on Sunday, and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman.
At Camerton is moving his residence across the creek, nearer to town.

Carl Schulz made a business trip to Calgary on Tuesday.

The new elevator being built by Parich & Heimbach is rapidly nearing completion. Another interesting testimonial as to the prosperity of the celebrated Rockyford district. This makes the fourth standard size elevator that we are proud to boast of.

The big banquet and duck feast at the Hotel de Oriental in honor of handsome Harry Lewis recently returned from Winnipeg, last Tuesday night, was a huge success. Mr. Roberts and Carl Schulz were the toast masters, with Mr. Lewis and Mr. Buck and Mr. Rhodes responding nobly. After descending all of the duck and drinking two bottles of invalid port wine, and two or three bottles of beer, they were then their way home cheerfully, with the satisfaction that they had never spent a better evening.

It is reported that our Minniscotte friends and brothers have purchased a tract of land near Drumheller for Ninety dollars an acre. This is a fact that is not being verified by us.

At Cline and George Myers went into Calgary Saturday evening so as to be able to attend early Sunday morning services at the M. E. Church.

Fred Hunter was suddenly called to Didsbury on Monday, upon the death of his mother, Mrs. Hunter of that place. Mrs. Hunter is very kindly remembered here, having resided in Rockyford for several months last year. Mr. Hunter has the heart felt sympathy of the community. More details will follow.

Miss Gertrude Carl of the Canadian Bank of Commerce is spending part of her vacation in Calgary. George dear, in hearing up well.

John Enright and Buck, two of the most celebrated duck hunters of the province, are in the city, and are fortunate enough to secure one duck and a half. Buck is a fit and proper hunter, and is very fortunate to have such a good one.

Mr. Kruse of the Globe farm has commenced threshing and reports a forty bushel yield per acre. We consider this not too bad as a starter.

Mr. Bugler of Warner, Alberta, who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Rhodes, returned to her home Monday. Mrs. Rhodes accompanied her to Calgary, where she is spending a few days.

Miss McLain, who has been acting as secretary of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has resigned her position and returned to her home in Calgary on Saturday. Miss Anita Ridd of Rockyford is her successor.

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